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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Nonprovisional Application mailed July 28, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney and Part 2 Copy of Notice. Additionally, Applicant filed a Petition Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(h) on August 3, 2004, addressing the issue of the drawings. Applicant believes that with the filing of this response, the application is now complete.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0013 in the amount of \$130.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e). The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 18-0013, under Order No. 66012-0010. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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- The application was deposited without drawings. 35 U.S.C. 113 (first sentence) requires a drawing "where necessary for the understanding of the subject matter sought to be patented." Applicant should reconsider whether the drawings are necessary under 35 U.S.C. 113 (first sentence).
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